Thomas J. Salerno (AZ Bar No. 007492) tsalerno@ssd.com 1 Josefina F. McEvoy (CA Bar No. 147138) imcevoy@ssd.com Jordan A. Kroop (AZ Bar No. 018825) ikroop@ssd.com 2 Kelly Singer (AZ Bar No. 022024) ksinger@ssd.com SQUIRE, SANDERS & DEMPSEY L.L.P. 3 Two Renaissance Square, Suite 2700 40 North Central Avenue Phoenix, Arizona 85004 4 (602) 528-4000 Proposed Attorneys for Debtor and Debtor-in-Possession 5 6 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT 7 FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA 8 In re Case No. 9 TODD MCFARLANE PRODUCTIONS, INC., In Proceedings Under Chapter 11 an Arizona corporation 10 Judge Debtor. 11 NOTICE OF FILING BANKRUPTCY 12 Date of Hearing: Time of Hearing: 13 14 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 17, 2004, TODD MCFARLANE 15 PRODUCTIONS, INC. (the 'Debtor'), by and through undersigned counsel filed a voluntary petition 16 for relief under Chapter 11 of United States Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. §§ 101-1330) in the United 17 States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Arizona. 18 19 20 21 22 23 24

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Immediately upon the bankruptcy filing, a broad "stay" automatically goes into effect that prohibits creditors from taking or continuing most actions to collect money or property from the Debtor, including the commencement of any judicial proceedings in any other court. Such a stay is now in effect as of December 17, 2004 with respect to the Debtor listed above. A creditor wishing to proceed with an action against the Debtor or any of the Debtor's property must obtain permission from the U.S. Bankruptcy Court, or face a potential claim for damages, including costs and attorney's fees, and, in appropriate circumstances, punitive damages. Creditors who are uncertain of their rights should seek legal advice.

Dated this 17th day of December, 2004.

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